

**CLAIMS**

1. A powdery/granular external preparation for  
wounds for use in treatment and procedure of skin damages

5 characterized in comprising a water-soluble polymer of 2  
mass% or more ("mass%" is referred to as "%" unless otherwise  
specifically mentioned) and a crosslinking agent of from  
0.01% to 20%, and

the water-soluble polymer is in uncross-linked state.

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2. The preparation according to Claim 1, wherein  
the content of the water-soluble polymer is 5% or more.

15 3. The preparation according to Claim 1 or 2,  
wherein the water-soluble polymer has acidic group in its  
structure.

4. The preparation according to Claim 3, wherein  
the acidic group is carboxylic group or sulfonic acid group.

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5. The preparation according to any one of Claims 1  
to 4, wherein the crosslinking agent is polyvalent metal salt.

25 6. The preparation according to any one of Claims 1  
to 5, wherein the water-soluble polymer is sodium  
polyacrylate.

7. The preparation according to any one of Claims 1 to 6, wherein the crosslinking agent is aluminum-containing crosslinking agent.

5 8. The preparation according to any one of Claims 1 to 7, further comprising a bactericidal agent of from 0.1% to 10%.

10 9. The preparation according to Claim 8, wherein the bactericidal agent is iodine-based bactericidal agent.

10. The preparation according to any one of Claims 1 to 9, further comprising sugars of from 5% to 70%.

15 11. The preparation according to any one of Claims 1 to 10, wherein the moisture content of the preparation is 3% or less.

12. An ointment external preparation for wounds characterized in containing the preparation of any one of 20 Claims 1 to 11 and a fluidization agent.

13. The preparation according to Claim 12, wherein the fluidization agent is macrogol.